to upgrade the 50 KW MW transmitter at Jammu to 300 KW MW.

As regards Doordarshan, besides the high power TV transmitters commissioned at Jammu and Poonch during the Seventh Plan period, a Programme Generation Centre at Jammu, five low power (2x10 Watt) TV transmitters at Kistawar, Ramban, Doda, Bhadarwah, Udhampur and a transposer at Rajouri are proposed to be set up in Jammu region as part of the 8th Plan.

(b) and (c) ALL INDIA RADIO. The building works for the proposed 300 KW MW transmitter at Jammu are in progress The installation of the transmitter would commence soon after equipment on order is received Meanwhile, the site for the proposed new radio station at Kathua has been selected and the building works taken up. However, the site at Bhadarwah is yet to be made available by the State Government to AIR. Further action would be taken up as soon as the site is handed over to AIR.

DOORDARSHAN:

Orders for the TV transmitters and associated equipment have been placed by Doordarshan Sites have also been identified for setting up the TV Centres. The transmitters are expected to be commissioned during 1988-89 on supply of equipment The Programme Generation Facilities at Jammu is expected to be commissioned towards the end of the Seventh Plan period

Doordarshan Expansion Programme

1439 SHRI AJIT P K JOGI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state.

(a) what are the names of the districts in Madhya Pradesh which are not covered by the Doordarshan network as on date;

(b) by when these districts are likely to be covered by the Doordarshan network; and

(c) the details of the Doordarshan's expansion programme for the uncovered districts during this current Five Year Plan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI AJIT PANJA): (a) Chhatarpur, Mandsaur, Mandla, Narasimhapur, Panna, Raigarh, Rajnandgaon and Shivpuri districts of Madhya Pradesh are not covered by TV service at present.

(b) and (c) The Seventh Plan of Doordarshan in respect of the State of Madhya Pradesh includes, *inter alia* the replacement of the existing 1 KW/100W TV transmitters at Raipur, Gwalior and Jabalpur by 10KW transmitters and establishment of 8 100 W TV transmitter each at Chhatarpur, Mandsaur, Neemuch, Mandla Narasimhapur, Panna, Raigarh and Shivpuri to provide TV service wholly or partially to the aforesaid uncovered districts of Madhya Pradesh. While 100 W TV transmitters are expected to be installed and commissioned into service at Mandsaur, Neemuch and Shivpuri during 1987-88, the establishment of the remaining transmitters will depend on the availability of the required equipment, infrastructural facilities and annual allocation of Plan resources.

Reserved Posts for SC/ST

1440. SHRI KAILASH PATI MISHRA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of executive and non-executive employees working in the NCCF as on October 31, 1987, cadre-wise and post-wise;

(b) the number of posts (cadre-wise and post-wise) required to be reserved for SC/ST candidates;

(c) the number of reserved vacancies (cadre-wise and post-wise) actually filled up by SC/ST candidates; and